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Dear Sir:

On May 30, 2001 Applicants submitted a Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement for the above-identified patent application. The 1449 Form of this submission was found attached to an Office Action dated July 11, 2001 for U.S. Serial No. 09/662,845. Apparently, an error was made in matching the document with the correct file. Applicants are therefore providing another copy of the Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement dated May 30, 2001 to ensure that it is correctly entered into the above-identified application. A copy of the postcard that was stamped by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office is also included to demonstrate the filing date of this document. The Applicants request that the Examiner review the reference cited in the submitted Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement.

Since the art was submitted within the appropriate time, the undersigned believes no fee is required for this Communication. However, if a fee is deemed to be required, please charge Deposit Account No. 13-3723.

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